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Dear Counsel:

The court requests each side to file a supplemental brief addressing pertinent portions of the majority and dissenting opinions issued by the motions panel on May 26, 2015, mindful of the relationship between motions panels and merits panels as stated in, e.g., Mattern v. Eastman Kodak Co., 104 F.3d 702, 704 (5th Cir. 1997) (citing cases). The supplemental briefs are simultaneously due Thursday June 18 and may not exceed 7,000  $\,$ words.

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